GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
TRIBAL AFFAIRS
LOK SABHA

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AMENDMENT IN LAND ACQUISITION ACT
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Will the Minister of TRIBAL AFFAIRS be pleased to state:

(a) whether the Union Government propose to make amendment in the Land Acquisition Actto incorporate provisions on the relief and rehabilitation as demanded by NGOs and tribal organisations ;

(b) if so, the details thereof;

(c) if not, the reasons therefor;

(d) whether any committee has been constituted to look into the matter relating to the displaced persons and tribal land acquired for other than the agricultural purposes; and

(e) if so, the time by which the said committee is likely to submit its report?

Answer

MINISTER OF TRIBAL AFFAIRS (SHRI JUAL ORAM)

(a) to (e) As intimated by the Ministry of Rural Development, certain recommendations made by aGroup of Ministers to consider the issues relating to suggestions regarding amendments to be made to the Land Acquisition Act and formulation of a National Policy for the Resettlement and Rehabilitation of Project Affected Persons are under the consideration of the Government.